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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Efendic et al

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For: Use Of A Peptide

PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 C.F.R. 1.136(a))

Commissioner for Patents
P. O. Box 1450
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Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action dated December 12, 2003 be extended for a period of 3 months from March 12, 2004 to June 14, 2004 (June 12, 2004 being a Saturday). Applicant(s) hereby petition(s) for such extension of time.

Please charge the required fee, estimated to be \$950, with this application and to credit any overpayments to Novo Nordisk Pharmaceuticals, Inc., Deposit Account No. 14-1447. Please charge any additional fees, should they be required, to Deposit Account No. 14-1447. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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